

# BRITAIN AND GERMANY TAKE STEPS TO REMOVE CHILDREN FROM LARGE CITIES

## GERMAN WARPLANES CONTINUE HAMMER AT BATTERED LONDON

### NAZI RAIDERS RETURN TO FORTY-FIRST CONSECUTIVE NIGHTLY ASSAULT

LONDON, Oct. 17.—(P)—German warplanes, which all day had beaten at England in formations of hundreds, returned early tonight to London for their 41st consecutive assault.

Five times during the day sirens had sounded and, while most of the raiders had been turned back before reaching the city, some bombs were dropped and there were civilian casualties. An undetermined number were trapped by the collapse of a three-story building which fell across an air raid shelter.

The raids started early in the morning when 20 planes crossed the coast near the Thames estuary and tried to force their way toward London.

They were quickly repulsed. But a few minutes later a group of more than 100 appeared and some of these bombed the London area.

Then an even larger formation crossed the Kent coast, flying high above the clouds. It split into waves, some of which took the favored western route inland and circled towards the capital.

Only a short time later the sirens in the London area shrilled out for the first time since dawn as Germans tried to beat off the Hurricane and Spitfire squadrons patrolling the coast. Some of them slipped past the British guard and approached close enough to put the London area in a state of alert.

Before this reversal to mass tactics the Nazis had been using planes singly or in very small formations.

Secondary Warning.

A few minutes after the fourth alarm wailed, air-raid wardens parading the streets and rooftops whistled a shrill secondary warning which means "raiders overhead."

In earlier attacks, Nazi airmen who worked their way through outer defenses dropped tons of

## LARGE STATUE OF CHRIST



EL PASO, Texas, Oct. 17.—(P)—Thousands of Catholics from Texas, New Mexico, and Mexico came here today for the celebration of the 25th anniversary of the ordination of the Most Rev. Anthony J. Shuler and the dedication of a statue to Jesus Christ on Mount Cristo Rey, in view of the Texas-Mexico border. The statue, largest in North America and carved from sandstone, is 40 feet high and rests on a 12-foot base.

## ARGUMENTS HEARD BY SUPREME COURT ON GUARD STATUS

### REGISTRATION REPORTS POURING INTO STATE HEAD-QUARTERS AT AUSTIN

AUSTIN, Oct. 17.—(P)—Reports on the registration of young Texas manhood under selective service poured into state headquarters today and the total number of registrants was expected to be known by late afternoon or tomorrow.

Meanwhile, the supreme court heard arguments on whether an officer of the national guard might also hold a state office after the guard had been called into federal service. Numerous state officials, members of the legislature and state employees were affected.

The adjutant general's department indicated boards of appeal, which will hear cases of registrants protesting classifications assigned them by local draft boards, would be announced shortly.

Appeal agents, attorneys to represent both registrants and draft boards in instances of difference, as well as medical examiners were announced yesterday.

State headquarters continued work on its list of draft board members. Numerous changes being necessary for various reasons.

Some, for example, had been appointed before the selective service act was finally passed and on the assumption the age limits for registration would be 21 to 31.

Hear Officer Arguments.

A nine-member supreme court heard Charles Black assert constitutional amendments of 1926 and 1932 removed any doubt that a state officer, summoned to a year's military service in the national guard, retains his state office.

Black was one of several attorneys for Orville S. Carpenter, chairman-elect of the Unemployment Compensation Commission and guard major now in active service, who is seeking to compel the comptroller to issue him a pay warrant.

Assistant Attorney General

## DYKSTRA TOOK OATH AS DRAFT DIRECTOR AFTER REGISTRATION

### MORE THAN 16,000,000 MEN ENTHUSIASTICALLY SIGN FOR MILITARY TRAINING

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—(P)—Secretary Stimson announced today that the first 30,000 selective service troops would be inducted into the army on or about November 18.

Between that date and next March 5, he said, 600,000 recruits will be called.

(By The Associated Press.)

Clarence A. Dykstra declared in his first public statements as draft director today that "those who had thought we were soft and supine and, as a democracy, could not move with effectiveness, may be disappointed."

The 57-year-old University of Wisconsin president, who had taken the oath of his new position in the office of Secretary Stimson in Washington, had a short time earlier, added that "the news is that the registration went off more than happily—with enthusiasm."

"It shows the ability of a great democracy to rise to an occasion of this kind," he told a press conference.

As chief of the nation's first selective service system Dykstra's main task will be to supervise the drafting for military service of approximately 5,000,000 young men from the more than 16,000,000 who signed up yesterday.

The exact number registered was still in process of tabulation but Washington officials predicted on the basis of preliminary returns, that it would exceed by about 250,000 the original estimate.

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## HE'S CHAMP COTTON PICKER



Harold Mason, 15, of Senath, Mo., won a \$1,000 purse and the title of world's champion cotton picker Tuesday at Blytheville, Ark., after garnering 120 pounds of the staple to whip 138 contestants from nine southern states. Here's Mason in a warmup before he became king cotton picker. The picking time was two hours.

## MASS EXODUS FROM BERLIN OF 200,000 GERMAN CHILDREN

### BRITISH ALSO EVACUATING WOMEN AND MOTHERS FROM CITY OF LONDON

By The Associated Press.

A mass exodus of 200,000 German children from Berlin, Hamburg and other large Nazi cities into western Rumania was authoritatively reported today, while Britain also took steps to remove children and mothers from bomb-ravaged districts of London.

Dispatches from Bucharest said preparations were being made to house the German children now being removed from the Reichland. A Berlin announcement said German women and children were to be removed, "to avoid imperiling their health."

Health Minister Malcolm MacDonald told the House of Commons that 500 expectant mothers are leaving London weekly to escape Nazi bombs, and 480,000 school children or about 56 per cent of the school population have already left for safer havens in the countryside.

MacDonald disclosed that 5,500 beds in London hospital wards are filled by casualties resulting from "the wanton efforts of German airmen." He also noted "an ominous increase" in the dread cerebrospinal fever—in all likelihood aggravated by the crowding of London's millions into admittedly inadequate air-raid shelters.

Adolf Hitler's warplanes renewed mass daylight raids on England today after heavy rains bogged down some of the German overnight attacks, giving London one of its quietest nights since early September.

Other fronts were ominously quiet.

In the Balkans, Russia and Germany continued to "mass troops facing each other across the Danube river delta in Rumania."

In the Far East, Britain arranged the re-opening of the Burma road at midnight tonight (11:30 a. m. CST)—and fleets of Japanese bombers were reported poised to attack the flow of arms traffic to China along the ancient route once followed by Marco Polo.

Despite bad weather conditions British RAF bombers pounded the German naval bases at Kiel, Hamburg and Cuxhaven during the night. The London air ministry reported, "Extensive fires were caused," the ministry said, adding that

## FORMER ATTORNEY GENERAL TO SPEAK AT DEMOCRAT RALLY

### WILLIAM M'CRAW WILL ADDRESS COUNTY-WIDE RALLY HERE OCTOBER 24

William McCraw of Dallas, former attorney general of Texas, will be the principal speaker at a Navarro county-wide democratic rally at the courthouse, Thursday night, Oct. 24. This announcement has been made by Tom L. Tyson, local attorney, who is in charge of arrangements for speakers in the county campaign for funds for the National Democratic committee. The financial drive is being directed by John C. Calhoun, Corsicana mayor, who is chairman of this campaign.

The rally was originally slated for Thursday night, Oct. 17, but was postponed a week because of the inability of securing the desired speaker.

The county-wide rally was called by N. S. Crawford, Krens, Navarro county chairman of the Democratic executive committee. McCraw has long been prominent in Democratic circles, and is regarded as one of the outstanding speakers in this section.

## DRAFT BOARDS HAVE ORGANIZED AND ARE READY FOR DUTIES

### OFFICES OF BOTH BOARDS HAVE BEEN OPENED IN CORSIANA

Draft boards of Navarro County Thursday were reported ready for their work and will be shifting, and arranging the cards of the draftees in their respective headquarters before the week ends.

This work will begin as soon as possible after the draft cards are delivered by Lydia Reed, county clerk, who was in charge of the registration of men between the ages of 21 and 35 in Navarro County Wednesday.

Registrars through the county were slated to check in their work to the clerk Thursday.

Headquarters for the Navarro County draft board No. 1 have been opened in the Drane Building, corner East Coblin and North Commerce Streets, upstairs, A. B. Douglas Jr., Corsicana, is chairman of the board. Sidney K. Bietz, Corsicana, is secretary, while W. T. McKee is a member. Jess Megarity has been employed as chief clerk for the board.

Draft board No. 2 has opened an office in the basement of the post office building. O. L. Albritton is chairman. O. M. Rector of Corsicana is secretary, and R. B. Rogers, Dawson, is a member. Wade Smith is chief clerk. T. M. Sewell of Blooming Grove, recent-

## PROBLEM OF JOBLESS HELD SPOTLIGHT FOR CAMPAIGN THURSDAY

### WILLKIE CALLS FOR WPA REVISION; WALLACE WOULD INCREASE INSURANCE

By The Associated Press.

The problem of America's jobless held the campaign spotlight today as Wendell L. Willkie called for a revision of the WPA program and Henry A. Wallace termed the present unemployment insurance too conservative and said that it would have to be made more generous.

Willkie charged that the New Deal had made a "frank and shameful promise" of more unemployment and added that "our promise is more jobs."

In a speech prepared for Evansville, Ind., he called for changes in the WPA including greater emphasis on public works projects under private contractors and allocation of relief funds to the states according to the amount of unemployment. Willkie's talk was one of a number on the day's crowded schedule of campaigning in Indiana, Illinois and Missouri.

Wallace advocated extension of social security benefits as he replied to Republican charges that Roosevelt administration's policies would lead to national bankruptcy and failure to meet workers' claims. The Democratic vice presidential nominee spoke at Pittsburgh last night.

In Same Class.

"Such talk," he said, "is in the same class with the story that went out in pay envelopes just before the election in 1936 that you would have to wear license numbers around your necks like dogs."

"Our system in its present form is far from bankrupt; it is more troubled with surplus than with deficits."

Other speakers carried on the campaign in radio talks and at political rallies in many sections of the country last night.

Senator Byrnes (D-SC) said in a radio talk that Willkie had made a "misleading statement" in declaring there was a housing shortage for the army. Byrnes said the war department reported that housing facilities would be available for the 850,000 men expected in uniform by Jan. 1.

Dewey Is Speaker.

Thomas E. Dewey, New York district attorney, in a speech at Saginaw, Mich., called for the election of Willkie so that the United States could "turn away from this trend toward totalitarianism."

Attorney General Jackson said at Boston that Willkie's campaign had "completely failed to get any

## BRITAIN TO REOPEN BURMA ROAD TONIGHT; CLOSED JULY 17TH

### VITAL ARMS TRAFFIC ARTERY OF CHINA TO BE PUT TO QUICK USE AGAIN

CHUNGKING, Oct. 18.—(Friday)—Chinese labor squads were drawn up at strategic points of the Burma road which reopened today under orders to reconstruct the life-line highway as fast as the Japanese bombing planes could destroy it.

The road opened officially at the stroke of midnight after three months of closure as a British appeasement gesture to Japan.

A great part of the first traffic over the winding road from British-controlled Burma will be during the night, it was learned reliably—a measure of defense against Japanese bombs.

Trucks bearing supplies to replenish Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's armies will be spaced to avoid forming concentrated targets for Japanese airmen.

LONDON, Oct. 17.—(P)—Authoritative sources said today

## SPANISH CABINET SHAKEUP INDICATES AXIS DOMINATION

### SERRANO SUNER, STAUNCH GERMAN-ITALIAN FRIEND, MADE FOREIGN MINISTER

MADRID, Oct. 17.—(P)—In a cabinet shakedown widely regarded as evidence of Spain's firm ties with the Rome-Berlin axis, Generalissimo Francisco Franco today made Ramon Serrano Suner, recent special emissary to Germany and Italy, a foreign minister.

Political observers regarded the shift as sure to be welcomed by the German and Italian governments, for Serrano Suner is considered one of the staunchest friends those powers have in Spain.

Left in working charge of the ministry of interior—which controls the police—was under-secretary Jose Lorenzo Saez. Franco became titular head of the department.

Serrano Suner replaced Col. Juan Beigbeder y Aizencia.

Execution Reported.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—(P)—The German wireless broadcast a Barcelona dispatch last night stating that Luis Companys, former president of Catalonia, had been executed in Barcelona on sentence by a Spanish war tribunal.

To Extend Life of Parliament.

LONDON, Oct. 17.—(P)—Prime Minister Churchill introduced a bill in commons today to extend the life of parliament which, except for the war, would expire next month.

## Indians Ready Enter Army Now; Have Own Rifles

WINDOW ROCK, Ariz., Oct. 17.—(P)—Supt. E. R. Fryer of the far-flung Navajo Reservation announced today the registration for selective service totaled 4,520 braves, about 300 more than was estimated.

Several tribesmen appeared at registration stations with rifles, ready to take the war path at once. Another showed up with his horse and pack animal "ready for trip to Germany," officials said. One Indian offered to sell his sheep to help feed the army.

## TOTAL REGISTERING WEDNESDAY EXPECTED TO PASS 5000 MARK

### FORTY-FOUR OF FORTY-EIGHT PRECINCTS IN COUNTY HAVE REPORTED

Returns to the office of Lida Reed, county clerk, at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon from 44 of the 48 precincts of Navarro County showed a total of 4,520 men between 21 and 35 years of age registered for selective service.

The boxes reported at that hour were Dresden, Purdon, Powell and Rural Shade. The grand total is expected to be about the 5,000 mark.

The registration cards were checked out to the two local draft boards Thursday afternoon and they began their work of dividing and listing the draftees. Members of the boards reported a number of persons had requested to volunteer into the army. The boards are expected to receive instructions within a few days on this question.

There were several persons, mostly negroes, who failed to register Wednesday. Anyone not registered

## GERMAN PICTURE OF WAR SUCCESS GIVEN BY HIGH COMMAND

### FUTILE BRITISH ATTACKS ON REICH BY AIR ALSO STRESSED IN REPORT

BERLIN, Oct. 17.—(P)—The German high command drew a picture today of new destruction inflicted by its air raiders on Britain, of sea war successes and of futile British attacks on the Reich. At the same time Berlin reports said daylight waves of Nazi warplanes were over London again.

The high command communique reported that British war vessels seeking to raid the French coast at the western outlet of the English channel were beaten off by naval artillery.

The war report set forth that a German submarine had sunk three armed steamers totalling 21,000 tons, one of them a 10,000-ton tanker.

British air losses were listed as three planes against two German planes missing.

Detailing German night bombing carried out in spite of bad weather the high command said the "retaliatory attacks" against London were in "full force" all night, with heavy bombs hitting both sides of the Thames until "the resulting fires lighted up" the clouds.

A stab at an airport south of Liverpool was called "especially successful," and the communique said Birmingham, Neville Chamberlain's home town, was among the places hit.

Last night's British raids on German territory, the German release said, resulted in no military

## MOTORCAR INDUSTRY TAKES INITIAL STEP MASS PLANE BUILDING

### AUTOMOBILE MAKERS AGREE TO POOL RESOURCES TOWARD PLANE MANUFACTURE

DETROIT, Oct. 17.—(P)—The agreement of the motorcar industry to subordinate model changes to the needs of national defense, it was explained in authoritative quarters today, is the first step toward mass production of aircraft.

Representatives of the Automobile Manufacturers Association and the Ford Motor Company, in New York, today signed the resolution, agreeing that until the present emergency has passed tooling in their

## DARDANELLES BECOMES ONE BIG HAZARDS OF HITLER'S PROGRAM OF CONQUERING THE NEAR EAST

By DEWITT MACKENZIE, Associated Press Staff Writer.

Leander swam the Hellespont (we call it the Dardanelles now—a day) and maybe Herr Hitler could, too—but the Nazi fuhrer can't swim an army across this strategic water-barrier between Europe and the Near East to help Mussolini crush Britain in the Mediterranean theater.

That's fanciful, say you. Granted, but it's meant to emphasize that the Dardanelles Strait presents one of the most serious obstacles the axis partners will encounter if they try to crash into the Near East by a thrust down the Balkan Peninsula.

Herr Hitler must feel rather sorry for himself to find that, having been stymied from the British Isles by the English Channel, he now is up against another water hazard which has broken the hearts of many good men and brave in days gone by. It's one of the world's toughest roads to conquest.

I have small doubt that once the Germans had forced this strait and conquered Turkey they could steam-roller most of the rest of the Near East rather readily. However, if and when the exponents of the total-war make this effort they're going to precipitate one of the great battles of history.

The strategic importance of the Dardanelles always has been very great because it does form a barrier between the Balkans and the Near East, and because it is the gateway from the otherwise landlocked Black Sea to the Mediterranean. Free passage of the Dardanelles is vital to Russia, since if the strait were in enemy hands she not only would be cut off from the Mediterranean, but a hostile fleet could attack her in the Black Sea.

The Dardanelles Strait is forty-seven miles long, and from one to four miles wide. It then broadens into the little sea of Marmara.

## 25 Years Ago Today

### By The Associated Press

Oct. 17, 1915—Italy declares war on Bulgaria; Austro-Germans and Bulgarians overrun Serbia.

## DALLAS FOLK FIND THAT BEING CHAMP TRAFFIC DEATHLESS CITY IS TERRIBLE ON ONE'S NERVES

By OLEN W. CLEMENTS

DALLAS, Oct. 17.—(P)—Sometimes Police Captain B. B. Smith wonders why his head does not ache all the time. The captain's job is to keep Dallas the champion deathless day city of the nation in the 250,000-500,000 population class. His troubles are manifold and on this, the town's 138th day without a traffic death, the captain is a bit weary.

The wear and tear on people's nerves is beginning to tell. Most everybody is deathless day conscious. Police men wear arm bands proclaiming the number of days Dallas has escaped an auto death.

Things have reached the state where the first person who kills somebody with a car is apt to be mobbed.

Just yesterday a rumor reached Captain Smith that Ann Elizabeth Sewell, 7, a negro girl hit by a pile truck, had died and was buried secretly.

The captain investigated, found Anna beaming and alive.

The strain on motorists is mounting.

A car stalled in an underpass. Another motorist obligingly pushed it. The car was stuck for a while, but the rear fender of the other car and the owner pulled out a piece of lead pipe and whacked the good samaritan on the noggin.

"A bad case of nerves," said the cops.

A negro was injured in a wreck. Hospital doctors said he would die. The traffic squad, undaunted, aroused a noted brain surgeon at 3 a. m. and the doctor saved the negro's life.

That's just one of the town's narrow escapes. A woman was killed 50 feet from the city limits. A man died in a wreck a block from town.

Night before last a car hit three pedestrians, killing one. Everybody thought sure that accident happened in town. But the traffic squad measured off the spot and found it was just outside.

## FARMERS OF NATION STORING GREAT QUANTITIES WHEAT AND COTTON UNDER U. S. LOAN PLAN

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—(P)—Farmers are storing millions of bushels of wheat and thousands of bales of 1940 cotton under loan programs which are expected to give the federal government control over upwards of \$1,500,000,000 worth of food and fiber supplies by mid-winter.

Similar loans will be made available on corn and possibly several other crops within a few weeks.

Agriculture department officials said the loan programs, designed originally to bolster producer prices, were being fitted into the national defense program to assure the country of reserve supplies in the event of war and to protect consumers against sharp price advances such as occurred in the last war.

Crops being placed under government loans are mainly those which normally would move into foreign markets now closed by the war.

Officials explained that in the

## event the United States became involved in war and prices began to increase sharply, supplies stored under loans could be released from storage, and probably would counteract price advancing tendencies.

Loans totaling about \$150,000,000 already have been made on about 210,000 bushels of surplus wheat. Loans amounting to about \$26,000,000 have been advanced on about 520,000 bales of cotton. With little cotton moving into export markets, officials expect upwards of 2,000,000 bales of the 1940 crop to be stored under the government program.

The government owns large quantities of farm crops which it acquired under foreclosure of loans on old crops. Included are about 450,000 bushels of cotton, 85,000 bushels of corn, 190,000 pounds of tobacco, 1,500,000 bushels of wheat, 28,000 pounds of p



# Interesting News From Navarro County Towns

## Bazette

BAZETTE, Oct. 17.—(Special).—Rev. Louis Tucker filled his regular appointment at the Methodist Church Sunday.

A large crowd attended the ice cream supper and CCG hand concert sponsored by the P. T. A. Thursday night at the Bazette School house.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Grady and Sam Bellah of New Castle visited friends and relatives here over the weekend.

The ladies home demonstration club met in regular session Wednesday afternoon.

There will be a quilting and shower combined at the club house Tuesday, Oct. 22, for Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett Strider who lost all their household goods in a fire recently. Anyone interested bring a covered dish and spend the day.

Mrs. Erma Wright and children were in Kereen Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Jennings were in Athens Friday attending the auction sale.

Mrs. Ruby McCluney was a Corsicana visitor Thursday.

Miss Rosa Jennings was a dinner guest of Mrs. Pohl Sunday.

Mrs. W. G. Granell and son, Johnny visited Mrs. Majorie Flammatt Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dalia Watt visited in the home of Mrs. Fohs Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Gladney is ill with a cold and Mr. Gladney taught school Monday.

## "Build-Up" Good News For Suffering Women

Much of women's periodic distress may be unnecessary! Many who suffer from headaches, nervousness, cramp-like pain, other symptoms of functional dysmenorrhea due to malnutrition are helped by CARDUI.

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## Angus

ANGUS, Oct. 17.—(Special).—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thomason and sons spent Sunday with relatives in Groesbeck.

Mrs. L. H. Stewart and daughter visited their son and brother W. L. Stewart in the Veterans' Hospital in Dallas Sunday and also attended the State Fair of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Jones of Malakoff spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Fowler.

Miss Jessie Mae Reed visited Miss Alpine Stewart in Corsicana Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Humphries of Corsicana spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd McCain.

Several from Angus attended the funeral of Mrs. A. H. Birdwell Wednesday afternoon.

## Frost

FROST, Oct. 17.—(Special).—Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Blake and niece Ann Couch spent Sunday with relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. T. C. Evans and little daughter of Hillsboro visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Allen Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Evans and Lovana, attended the State Fair in Dallas Thursday.

Howard, Lerley and Arl Hightower of Lometa spent Tuesday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hightower, the grandparents went home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ballew and little daughter, Leah, attended the funeral of a cousin in Bardwell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Allen and sons of Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Allen spent Sunday in Dallas attending the Fair.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Matlock had the following children home for the weekend: Miss Exa of Longview, Mrs. Walter Saunders and children of Corpus Christi, Mrs. Carlyle Smith and son of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilbanks of Dallas spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. M. G. Blankenship and family.

Mrs. Tom Tiedale returned Friday from Waco where she had been at the bedside of her father who has been seriously ill in the Hillcrest Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. C. O. Brown is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joe Wilbanks in Dallas.

## Streetman

STREETMAN, Oct. 17.—(Special).—Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Grizzard and Mrs. Mable Cole visited relatives and attended the Fair in Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McConico of New London drove by early Saturday morning for Mr. and Mrs. John Elmo Sims, together they attended the Dallas Fair.

Joe Pete Coleman and Miss Imogene Barton visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Grayson, Jr. in Gladewater Sunday.

George Winburne and Miss Charles Barton visited relatives in Gilmer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cole of Dallas, Mrs. E. R. Cratty of Tyler were in Corsicana Tuesday morning for the funeral of Mrs. Alan Edens, Jr. and drove down and spent the day with their mother, Mrs. J. B. Cole.

Mrs. Herbert Patterson of Fort Worth is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mable Cole and grandmother, Mrs. J. B. Cole this week.

Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Shaddix, Mrs. James Shaddix and daughter Sandra of Arp visited relatives and friends here Tuesday.

Bill McKissack and Mrs. Billy McKissack of Dallas spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandifer Milner and daughter Catherine of Dallas were guests Monday night with their mother and grandmother Mrs. J. N. Milner.

Mrs. R. C. Cole and Jerry Cole were business visitors in Fairfield Monday.

William Milligan, Betty Jane Milligan, Dorothy and Doris Hawthorne and Louise McGilvory of Denton spent the weekend with home folks.

## Barry

BARRY, Oct. 17.—(Special).—Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Woodruff are the happy parents of a son born last night at the Navarro Clinic.

Mrs. Vivian Moreland and children of Corsicana and Miss Margaret Gamwell of Dallas visited Mrs. W. T. Woodruff Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lena Grunnett of Beaumont visited home folks over the weekend.

Forest Hodkins of Dallas was in Barry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Russell and daughter, Billy Jo, and father, J. W. Russell went to Huntsville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Inmon spent the weekend with relatives at Farmersville.

Mrs. Reba Albright and little daughter and Miss Dorothy Barnes of Port Arthur were week end guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Barnes.

R. E. McCarty and Lowell Reed attended the Fair in Dallas Sunday.

Mrs. Beuna Halbert and Mrs. Stella Buck of Corsicana were Barry visitors one afternoon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Peterson of Dallas were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Quinn of Trinidad were Barry visitors Sunday.

Lost Something? Try a Daily Sun Want Ad.

## Rice

RICE, Oct. 17.—(Special).—Mrs. H. G. West of Greensboro, North Carolina, Mrs. T. S. McCook of Austin, and Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Wilson of Grandview were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lockley the past week end.

Mrs. M. S. Miles spent a few days last week in Houston a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh South and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Miles. She was there by her son Joe Miles of Louisiana.

Mrs. A. W. Christian visited her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Smith in Abilene last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cummins and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Williams and little daughter spent Sunday in Dallas. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Groves.

Mrs. T. Y. Allen has returned from a two-week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Paul K. Jones in Stanton.

Melton Pollan a student in A. and M. College Station, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Pollan.

Mr. and Mrs. Pugh Gallimore and two children, and Carl Davidson of Ft. Worth, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Misses Keeley and Dorothy Loop of Dallas visited their mother, Mrs. D. M. Loop over the weekend.

R. F. Bartlett, Jr., of Dallas spent Sunday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McHam were here Sunday. They were en route to Denison after their honeymoon trip to Houston and Galveston. They will move this week to Texarkana where Mr. McHam has a position.

Mr. V. T. Swafford is quite ill this week.

Mr. J. M. Harper was an Ennis visitor Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Jack Nacch of Corsicana are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Perry this week.

## Shower For Recent Bride Given at Rice Monday Afternoon

RICE, Oct. 17.—(Special).—Mrs. D. E. Bell of Rice, Mrs. C. A. Nowlin of Ennis, and Mrs. F. E. Blount of Dallas, were joint hostesses to a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Bell Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, honoring Mrs. Hattie C. Rice, who before her marriage was Miss Marjorie Hodge of this place.

The reception rooms were beautifully decorated with zennias.

Mrs. A. D. Ellis gave a very appropriate reading and Miss Scottie Swafford gave the toast to the bride.

Mrs. J. T. Lee had charge of the guests register.

Little Jude Wear presented the gifts in a small wheelbarrow. A lovely refreshment plate consisting of sandwiches, pickles, cookies and hot chocolate was served.

Fifty-two guests registered. Those from out of town were: Mrs. Chas. Vavie, Mrs. Garth Hodge, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Mable Bell, Mrs. Chester Nowlin, Mrs. Weldon Nowlin of Ennis; Mrs. Ed McCants, Mrs. F. F. Blount of Dallas, and Mrs. J. A. McGee of Corsicana.

Richland PTA Met Tuesday Evening

The Parent-Teachers Association of the Richland school met Tuesday night, October 15. The subject, "Creative Homes," was led by Mrs. Allen. Interesting talks were given by Mrs. Prater and Mrs. Sands. Then the seventh grade sponsored by Miss West, gave two very interesting plays, "Trial of October" and "Home-work Blues."

The P. T. A. is happy to announce that Friday night, Oct. 18, will be open house for their no winch room, followed by a forty-two party.—Reporter.

Telephone Demonstration.

Intricate operations necessary to complete an ordinary telephone call were shown in a demonstration before the student body of the Senior high school Thursday morning by representatives of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

Flour Sacks Heavy and Unprinted 36 inches square. 75c Per Dozen. Collin Street Bakery.

EGGS FOR Lice ON Poultry

PAINT the roosts with Dr. Hess Liquid Lice Killer—highly concentrated, a sulphate that contains 40% nicotine.

Costs little to delouse your flock. Only 1/6 to less than 1/2 cent per bird.

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## Blooming Grove

BLOOMING GROVE, Oct. 17.—(Spl.).—Mrs. Miller Reid and little son, John, spent the week end visiting her mother in McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Simpson were in Dallas from Friday until Monday, guests of their son, Harry Simpson, and family.

B. E. Hodkins and family of Dallas were here Sunday, visiting his father, S. B. Hodkins, and sister, Mrs. Varnell.

Mr. and Mrs. M. George, Sr., left Friday for San Angelo, where they will spend several days with Carl George and family. From there they will go to Slaton to visit old friends there and return home the latter part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson and children of Groesbeck spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. W. M. Johnson.

Miss Mildred ummers and JoSe Georg attended the "pison rodeo" in Huntsville Sunday.

Mrs. Will Clark of Purdon is the guest this week of her daughter, Mrs. Clark.

Misses Cora and Lella George of Dallas were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. George.

Mr. Sheppard has been in Lamesa on business for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Gillen, son, Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gillen and little daughter, Judith, of Walnut Springs, spent Sunday at College Station, where they attended a polo game between C. Gillen's team of Lampasas and A. and M. College team.

Mrs. Maggie Richards returned Saturday from a week's visit in Tyler and Athens with her sons, Ed Richards and Bill Richards.

## Dresden

DRESDEN, Oct. 17.—(Spl.).—Miss Joy Furra spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brister of Walnut Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Herring and daughter, Wynelle, attended the funeral of Mrs. Gene Slaughter of Purdon Sunday afternoon.

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## Richland

RICHLAND, Oct. 17.—(Special).—We are still having dry weather and a cold spell blew up Monday night.

Mrs. John C. Lansford and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lansford were Dallas visitors Thursday of last week.

Mrs. H. W. Stepps was the guest of relatives in Dallas Friday and Saturday.

Allen Anderson left last week for Dallas for a medical examination as he has not been well for some time.

Misses Beryl and Electra Brown returned from Dallas Saturday afternoon where they were the guest of relatives the past week.

Dr. and Mrs. A. N. Brown were in Corsicana Friday morning.

Mrs. R. R. Fleming was a Corsicana visitor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garland and W. T. Carter were also in Corsicana last week.

Rubin Griffin spent the weekend with his mother and family in Jewett.

A shower was given at Mrs. Perry Ponds Thursday for Mrs. Royal Anderson. She received several nice gifts. Those present from out of town were Mrs. Laurence and friend of Dawson, Mrs. Bill Blood, Mrs. John Harris and Mrs. Newt Farmer all of Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. York of West Texas are here visiting her father, Mr. Will Harlin and sisters Misses Sammie and Mary Harlin.

Mrs. Guy Lansford and Joy Holt were Corsicana visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Dickson of Corsicana was the guest of home folks Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Middlebrook of Navarro were in Richland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hemphill and son of Mexia and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Polindexter and daughter of Wortham visited in Richland Sunday evening.

## Pickett

PICKETT, Oct. 17.—(Spl.).—Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Martin visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Anderson, Sunday.

Robert Perry visited his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Averitt, and children over the week end.

G. W. Watkins of Enhouse was a Pickett visitor on business Monday evening.

Mrs. Bud Donoho visited her mother, Mrs. Jim Vantergrift, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis McLaughlin of Pickett attended the Dallas Fair Sunday.

The young people's BYPU class entertained with a weiner roast Thursday night.

Several from this community attended the funeral of Mrs. Birdwell Thursday evening.

The Parent-Teacher Association of Pickett meets every fourth Tuesday in each month.

Mrs. Thurman Acord of Dallas visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Averitt, and children, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holloway of Roane visited her mother, Mrs. W. M. Hunter, and children over the week end.

The PTA of Pickett entertained with a chili supper Tuesday night.

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## Mildred

MILDRED, Oct. 17.—(Spl.).—Rev. and Mrs. Goodwin went to Groesbeck Sunday afternoon. Rev. Goodwin preached there.

Rev. Mr. Hawkins of Dallas preached at the Mildred union church Sunday afternoon. He also did the baptizing at Cunningham tank Sunday afternoon.

Phillip McManus returned home from Oklahoma Thursday night.

Miss Imogene Rich entertained with a party Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Steele of Winkler are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Grantham.

Mrs. Thomas and Mrs



## CALHOUN TAKES OATH OF OFFICE AS MAYOR CITY OF CORSICANA

Induction of John C. Calhoun as the new chief municipal executive and discussion of a variety of projects proposed or now under way featured the second regular September meeting of the Corsicana City Commission Tuesday afternoon.

Mayor Pro Tem J. Harry Burke presided at the opening of the meeting and Commissioners Fred D. Prince, Travis Fullwood, and W. E. McKinney answered roll call. Minutes of the last regular and adjourned meeting were read and approved.

At this time the oath of office was administered to Mr. Calhoun as Mayor by Judge Chris L. Knox in the presence of a number of friends and other citizens.

Appreciates Honor.

In an informal address, the new executive said in part: "To members of the commission, officers and friends: I feel that your presence here today is for the purpose of honoring the office of mayor rather than the individual. I sincerely appreciate your confidence in me expressed by your support at the recent election. In accepting the honor I want you to know that it is with an understanding and knowledge of the responsibility. I will do everything within my power to fulfill my responsibilities."

"I realize the city of Corsicana is no small institution. I made a tour of inspection with the city engineer of some projects under way in our city this morning and

was amazed at the extent of them. I believe that the citizens of Corsicana should take a greater interest in the affairs of the city and see some of the things going on. I know that I have been a citizen of Corsicana thirty years, but had never even attended a commission session until the adjourned meeting after the election."

He will take a sacrifice of time on my part and perhaps of money to do my part. But tomorrow all over the country men of America will register for a greater sacrifice if necessary. I hope all of the 150,000 citizens of Corsicana will co-operate with me and members of the commission in doing everything possible to make our city better and finer. I promise you that you will receive courteous treatment from every employee and we will aid you if possible."

Postmaster Makes Talk.

In response to an invitation for remarks from any citizens present, Postmaster A. A. Allison said the commission was a modern leadership of John C. Calhoun with pleasure and generally realized that it would require a sacrifice. He also congratulated the members of the commission on their willingness to sacrifice their private interests to serve the municipality, and declared Corsicana had always had an enviable reputation all over the state for its accomplishments and was a modern city, yet small enough for everyone to know his neighbors. He expressed a hope for a successful and forward-looking administration under Mayor Calhoun whom he asserted was not taking his duties lightly.

## Emhouse Youth Has Completed Elementary Air Training Course

SANTA MARIA, Calif., Oct. 16.—(Spl.)—Flying Cadet Richard D. Salter of Emhouse, Texas, has completed the elementary course in military flight training at Hancock College of Aeronautics, Santa Maria, and today was advanced to basic training at Moffett Field, Calif., the new West Coast air corps training center.

In order to win his wings as an officer of the air corps reserve, he must complete 50 more weeks of intensive training. Under the air corps expansion program flying cadets are given ten weeks of elementary training in civilian schools, ten weeks of basic training, and ten weeks of advanced training at one of the air corps training centers.

Wed Saturday Night. Fred Doolen and Hattie Mae Compton were married at the home of Judge Pat Geraughty Saturday night. Both were reared in the Navarro community. Mr. and Mrs. Doolen will make their home in Sweeney, Texas.

## HAIRY HERALD, HONEST, HUMBLE, HAILED ADVENT OF NEW AREA

Tense Times of Today Offer Analogies to Conditions Confronted By John the Baptist—Repentance and Righteousness Precursor To Peace—An Old Story's Light on Present Conditions.

By WILLIAM T. ELLIS

New kinds of guns and planes and tanks and ships interest us all in these war days; but I am more concerned over a new kind of moral message which will arm the people's hearts. Our times need prophets more than they need inventors. We could profitably exchange a million tons of armaments for one clear-voiced, compelling man of God at a microphone, who, in new and thrilling phrases, would recall the attention of the nations to the eternal, basic truth of a living God, to whom obedience is paramount. Unless human hearts are changed, and lives come clean, war will be succeeded by worse than war.

Pending the appearance of such a modern John the Baptist, every minister in his pulpit, every teacher before a Sunday School class, every parent in a home, should proclaim and practice, to the utmost limit of his influence, the eternal truth that right relations with God are the first of all considerations; and the one essential factor in a remade world. What profits it to vanquish the totalitarian paper powers by arms if we are to continue the old ways of greed and selfishness and unbrotherliness and shallow pleasure-seeking? The real battlefield of this hour is in the hearts of the people. The preparedness that prevails is the personal and spiritual.

The Great Purge. That the Almighty is at present purging and punishing a disobedient world is obvious to anyone who knows history and knows the Bible. The only peace conference that can permanently affect mankind is when men and women make peace with God by acceptance of His clear teaching. The extent of our sinning is manifest in the vastness and bitterness of the chastisement we are undergoing. This is stern truth. It needs a strong man, free from convention's thrall, his own life devoid of per-

sonal ambitions, and his desert communion so clear that he may stand in his lonely place, and with brave words compel the hearing of all classes of people. John came in a rotten time. Rome, by its tyrannies and moral corruption, was hastening toward its doom of disintegration. (Only a traveler amidst the ruins of Rome's ancient glories can understand the extent of the moral corruption of the empire.) Judaism had become lifelessly barren in formalism, and shot through with "raw and polli" corruption. Any nas, an ecclesiastical politician who has had many successors in the Christian Church, dominated the hierarchy. Social wrongs were rampant; so that John's message was one of repentance and restitution and righteousness that aimed at social justice. Little cared he that his brave words would one day cost him his head.

A Prophet's Preparation. Back of every message that counts there must be a life. John the Baptist, the forerunner of Jesus, spent long years of preparation in the wilderness, a hairy, abstemious, ascetic Nazarene. His habitat was the dreary wilderness, the Jordan, not far from Jericho. The Australian soldiers, who lived in caves in the hills of that hot desert during the World War, could understand somewhat of John's fierce environment. Like a Arab on a day, he ate the "bodies of locusts—not carob beans, as some commentators would say—and the honey of the wild be of the rocks. His raiment was the rough coat of camel's hair such as Palestine shepherds wear today, with a girdle of skins about his loins. With uncropped hair, and unshaven face, he looked the wild figure of the desert that he was.

For all who would speak a message from God to a world of sinners, John carries an exhortation to repentance. Most of us are too close to the crowds to see them. We attend too many meetings and read too many periodicals. The art of quiet meditation and communion is subordinated to the tyranny of the telephone and of continual conferences. We need to get away from men at times, in the vocal loneliness of nature that we may return to them with a new message from God. That sophisticated city look does not belong on a prophet's face.

And the Crowds Came. John did not need a press agent to draw the multitude to him, even from distant Jerusalem and Perea. More preachers are hurt by publicity than are helped by it; for when a man begins to measure his success by his press notices, he is on the rapid route to becoming "a dead one." Ask any city editor what he thinks of "publicity" bounds.

John had something to say, something with the fresh, forceful flavor of God about it. And when that authentic note sounds anywhere, the people throng to it. Every human spirit has an unquenchable appetite for God, however deeply it may be hidden by materialism and pleasure-loving. All men are commanded by the saint "Drop in the soul of man there dwells a desire for the Infinite. As Saint Augustine said, "Thou hast made us for Thyself, O God, and our hearts will never be at rest until they rest in Thee."

Naturally this stern prophet who had been mastered by God's consciousness, had no desire to be a "popular" preacher. His only concern was to speak the word that God had given him. So he boldly attacked the spiritual complacency of his hearers and their dependence upon pride of birth as Abraham's children. He approximated the level of modern socialism, with his counsel to the "have-nots" to share equally with the "haves." To the grating publicans he said that they should quit their crookedness, and do business honestly. To the soldiers, without any criticism of the government or of the military system, he insisted upon the end of loot and exploitation of civilians; and contentment with their wages. Evidently, John was not afraid of the social implications of the Gospel.

But the real burden of the Baptist was his office as a herald. He was sent to proclaim the Coming One. All that he could not do, the Messiah would do. "He must increase, I must decrease." The high hour of John's mission came when Jesus offered Himself for baptism. The Messiah had appeared. The long-expected and long-prophesied Representative of God formally entered upon His mission by joining John's Church and by identifying Himself with the best that the Eternal had on earth at the time. Thus began the ministry, which has continued ever since, that is to reconcile erring men to the Divine Way of life.

SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS. No man can be brave who considers pain the chief evil of life.—The Heroine of the Strait.

The problem of life is not to make life easier, but to make men stronger.—Davis Starr Jordan.

A garden is a lovesome thing. Got wot? Rose plot? Fringed pool? Fern'd grove? The very school Of peace, and yet the fool contends that God is not—Not God in gardens! when the eve is cool?

Nay, but I have a sign; 'Tis very sure God walks in mine.—Thomas Edward Brown.

We often do more good by our

sympathy than by our labors.—Farrar.

What I spent I had, What I kept I lost, What I gave I have.—Old Epiphany.

Whoever shall be ashamed of me and my words, of him shall the Son of man be ashamed when he shall come in his own glory, and in his Father's and of the holy Angels.—Luke 9:26.

Whenever souls are being tried and ripened, in whatever commonance and homely ways—there God is hewing out the pillars for His Temple.—Phillips Brooks.

## MRS. WILMA E. NASH DIED IN DALLAS AND FUNERAL TUESDAY

DALLAS, Oct. 15.—Mrs. Wilma E. Nash, 5251 Ridgedale, died Monday. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock. The rites were conducted by Dr. E. B. Hawk.

Surviving are her husband, W. Grover Nash, Dallas; parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Massengale, Blooming Grove; a sister, Mrs. Leta Smith, Dallas; and three brothers, L. D. Massengale, Frost, and Joe and Dick Massengale, both of Blooming Grove.

Sunday Guests.

KERENS, Oct. 16.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tyner had as their guests Sunday, their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyner of Overton, and Mrs. Tyner's brother, Horace Dickerson, also of Overton.

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## Sun Classified Advertising Bring Results From Afar

Classified advertising in the Corsicana Daily Sun travels a long distance. For some time the New Way Mattress Factory of this city have been advertising their products through this source. While it has been getting results from many places the management of this factory was very much surprised to receive this week an inquiry about their products from Columbus, Ohio.

The writer after seeing this advertisement in the Corsicana Daily Sun, wrote the local factory as to quality, what cotton was used in the mattresses and other questions, saying he was interested in the purchase of three well made mattresses made from long staple cotton.

Corsicana, Emhouse Youths Enlisted In U. S. Marine Corps

William Theodore Benefield, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Benefield of Corsicana, and Robert Edwin Stokes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stokes of Emhouse, were among the group of young men to enlist in the U. S. Marines at the Dallas recruiting office on the 14th of this month. Both of these young men were transferred to the marine corps base in San Diego, Calif., and will receive about six weeks of training prior to active duty with the marines.

Negro Held in Beer Case. A negro arrested in connection with the seizure of a quantity of beer at Kerens, was placed in the county jail Monday. The arrest was made by Deputy Constable Westbrook.

## Ample Deer-Turkey Leases Available In Keerville Area

KERRVILLE, Texas, Oct. 16.—(Special).—Lists of turkey and deer hunting leases in this section of the "Hill Country" are available at the office of the local Chamber of Commerce, Wm. O. Harwell, manager, has announced. This service is rendered free to the hunters of Texas and to the ranchmen.

Harwell stated that last year hunters on commercial leases in Kerr County killed more than 2,000 deer and approximately 1,000 turkey without reducing the number of breeding stock. He said there is a greater volume of game available this year than in 1939.

## Here's Real Relief for NOSES THAT CLOG, DRY UP AFTER DARK

How much better you feel—when you clear nose of transient congestion at bedtime with Va-tro-nol—Va-tro-nol does 3 important things: (1) shrinks swollen membranes; (2) soothes irritation; (3) helps flush nasal passages, clearing clogging mucus, relieving transient congestion. It makes breathing easier, invites sleep.

If a cold threatens, Va-tro-nol used first sneezes or sneezes helps prevent colds developing.

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## More Parity Checks. Payments for 1940 parity benefits to Navarro county farmers reached a figure of \$159,399.14 Tuesday when \$35 checks amounting to \$38,263.17, were received at the AAA offices to be distributed.

## FLATTER HER WITH Flowers

Corsages and Bouquets Plants and Novelties Don't make her wait for those few and far between birthdays and anniversaries to make her feel loved and needed. Send her flowers occasionally... why not surprise her with a nice bouquet tonight? Reasonable prices.

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That comfortable pair of OXFORDS

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108 East Fifth Shop with large Electric Shoe

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HERE'S OUR OFFER! Buy your favorite cut of Meat at Safeway. Serve it for dinner tonight. If you don't vote it "delicious" Come get your money back.

ROUND OR SIRLOIN **Steak** Lb. **25c** PORK **Sausage** Lb. **12½c** PURE **Lard** Lb. **29c**

**Stew Meat** Lb. **10c** **Pot Roast** Lb. **15c** **Pork Steak** Lb. **15c** **Jowls** Dry Salt Lb. **7c** **Seven Steak** Lb. **15c** **Fish-Oysters-Shrimp**

ICEBERG **Lettuce** FRESH Hds. For **10c** FRESH **Cabbage** GREEN Lb. **1c** IDAHO **Potatoes** WHITE 10 Lbs. **15c**

**Sugar** Pure Granulated 10 Lb. Bag **45c** **Meal** Polka Dot 20 Lb. Bag **35c** **Corn** Bungalow Brand Field Grown 4 No. 2 Cans **25c**

**Tomatoes** Standard Brand No. 2 Size Can **5c** **Peanut Butter** Frontier Brand 32 Oz. Quart **23c** **Crackers** Delicious Brand, Fresh Baked 2 Lb. Box **15c**

**Macaroni or Spaghetti** Mother's Brand 2 6 Oz. Boxes **5c** **Syrup** Blackburn's Best 5 lb. Bucket **25c** **Mustard** Value Brand Prepared 32 Oz. Quart **10c**

**Tamales** Delgado Brand Old Mexico Style No. 1½ Size Can **10c** **Vienna Sausage** Primrose Brand Reg. Can **5c**

**Salt** Eveready Brand Table Use 2 Boxes **5c** **Matches** Favorite Brand 2 Boxes **5c** **Cookies** Vanilla, Oatmeal, Coconut Fresh Bakery Made 15 Oz. Cello Bag **10c**

**Flour** Kitchen Craft Money Back Guarantee 48 Lb. Bag **\$1.25** **Cooking Oil** Gallon Oil In Wide Mouth Jug All For **69c**

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ROUTING GOWNS **49c** See these values! A real bargain!

Cotton Colonial SPREADS **1.00** Get one while they last! Compare quality! Size 80x105.

Wool Filled COMFORTS **2.98** A special at this low price! Limited quantities!

Outing FLANNEL **6½c** Special! Limited quantities! Get this now, while it lasts! No more at this price!

6 Yard Quilt Bundle **25c** Fast color print. A real value for those who quilt.

8 Ounce Penco TICKING **19c** An outstanding value. See and compare with higher prices!

Solid Color BROADCLOTH **8c** For those who quilt. Stock up now at this price!

Part Wool Double BLANKETS **1.44** Size 70x80. Outstanding value! Compare!

80-Square MUSLIN **7½c** While it lasts! Limited quantity!

For Dress, For Sports! **Women's COATS \$9.90** New Styles! Warm Woollens! Interlined!

Slim fitted reefer, swaggar belted styles, becoming boxy coats! Of crisp dress fabrics, smart tweeds and novelty weaves! With rayon linings! Smart buys!

WINTER COATS **4.98** Warm Flannels, Tweeds! Smart styles! Lined and interlined! Values! 7-14.

New Styles! Glen Row FROCKS **\$2.98** Smart Rayons! Fall Colors!

Dressy rayon crepes with gleaming jewelry trims! Sports styles of rayon with wool! Come in today!

NEW GLOVES **98c** Grand Values! Leathers, fabrics! New fall shades!

THE TOPS FOR FALL **98c** Girls' Jean Nedra Styles FALL HATS Budget Priced! Leading campus fashions in smart colors for fall!

PLAID JACKETS **\$2.98** Smart For Fall! Tweeds, plaids flannels! Men's tailored, res-s-maker styles!

With Your Jacket WOOLEN SKIRTS **\$1.98** Gored, pleated, swing styles! Plaids, tweeds, plains! 24-30.

Others up to \$1.00

Women's All Wool SWEATERS **98c** Plain and Breasted! Short sleeves. A real bargain!

81x90 Sheets **54c** Compare these with any qualities near this price and decide for yourself!

All Wool at a Saving! **Plaid Jackets 2.98** As warm as they are colorful—and as rugged! In heavy weight 32 ounce fabrics with Tadelon front and n d sports backs! Buy yours!

Boys' Wool Jackets **2.37** Gay plaids in heavy weight a l l wool! Sports backs! Special!

Boys' Mackinaws **3.98** Bundle up in style! All wool plaids with wide collar and deep pockets!

Men's Heavy Union Suits **47c** Heavy garment! A real bargain! See and compare this value!

Men's Outing Flannel PAJAMAS **98c** Stock up now at this low price! Ideal for those cold winter nights!

Men's Part Wool WORK SOCKS **10c** A good heavy sock for cold weather!

Boys' Leather Front SWEATERS **1.98** New styles and colors. A real bargain!

Boys' and Men's TWEED PANTS **2.98** See these in our windows! A real value!

Boys' Sweat SHIRTS **49c** All sizes! Warm and comfortable!

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## DEFENSE PROGRESS

The British government gratefully acknowledges that "the flow of airplanes from the United States of America gives renewed confidence in the triumphant conclusion of their long battle in the air." It praises our planes for their performance as well as their rapidly growing numbers. Britons are equally appreciative of the many other kinds of war materials they are now getting from this country.

It is a time when speed in delivery is as important as quality and quantity, and their attitude shows that American industry is doing a good job. It should be observed incidentally that this magnificent exhibition of rearmament in a critical time is not merely to help Britain. It is a business job, mostly well paid for. It is also a job which in the doing, is almost as important for America as it is for England.

Not only is Britain our "first line of defense." We ourselves are under an imperative necessity for rearming as rapidly as possible, lest what has happened to England should happen to us, and we are accumulating the necessary armament for ourselves as well as for Britain.

In this big and urgent enterprise all Americans should acknowledge the great service now being rendered by American industry. Every factory making war materials is as important as if it were an army in the field. Our industrialists and their employees, operating under great pressure and speed, are doing a magnificent job.

## FRIENDLY PARTISAN SHIP

We like that little story about the six girls and the Republican candidate in Philadelphia. They were good-looking girls, and they were against the city's guest, but they were nice about it and there were no hard feelings on either side. The girls lined up in front of the Hosiery Workers' Building and held a big banner on which was inscribed: "Hello, Willkie—We're for Roosevelt."

When the political procession came along, they waved and smiled, and Mr. Willkie waved and grinned, and everybody appreciated the situation and there were no hard feelings against it. Such a spirit is reassuring in times like these, when national unity is important and it would be easy for unwise partisans to arise dangerous enmity and division.

## SOY BEAN SUIT.

When it was first announced, a good many years ago, that the Germans were making clothing out of wood, other people found it difficult to understand how the clothing could be warm and flexible. When our own rayons began to be well made, they understood. For the cellulose which goes into those delightful new fabrics has so far come mostly from trees, though the newest ones seem to be products of coal, air and water.

# JUST FOLKS

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## FR. GABRIEL RICHARD.

What the good life means is this:  
When a century long has flown  
Dearly cherished still it is  
And memorialized in stone.

Though a hundred years away  
Men remembered labors good  
And how difficult are they  
And how oft misunderstood.

These all other things outlive:  
High devotion to the truth,  
Wise instruction for the truth,  
By the votive stone we raise

On the ground which once he knew  
'Tis the good life that we praise  
And the good man can do.

## LONDON'S NEXT WINTER

The British authorities are taking what measures they can for the protection of the people who must use air raid shelters in cold weather. Already the huddle, the dirt, the bad air of those makeshift gathering places is showing what horrors may be in store.

The evacuation of as many women and children as can possibly find quarters elsewhere has started, and none too soon. The building of more and better shelters, also, with proper ventilation and sanitary facilities, has begun.

It's well enough to be brave and gay about the discomforts and dangers of a short-lived emergency. But when the emergency turns into a whole new way of life, which bids fair to last for months if not years, courage and cheer are not enough. They must be supplemented by intelligent planning to make the new way of life safe, clean and bearable. Cleanliness, space and good ventilation are essential if crowds of people must spend much time together. Otherwise disease spreads beyond control.

## EINSTEIN SIGNS UP

Dr. Albert Einstein, a great mathematician and perhaps the greatest scientist now living, is an American citizen. He has just taken out his naturalization papers. With his daughter and secretary, who were like-wise joining up with Uncle Sam, he insisted on standing in line just like anybody else. Before him and behind him were men and women who never heard of the multiplication table, but who will doubtless make good citizens just the same.

This is the man driven from Germany because of his race and because he would not bow down to Hitler nor agree that, ideologically, five times five make a million. In America he has been as clear-headed about the realities of democracy as about the physical world. And with all his interests in scientific principles and theories, he knows that plain human life, freedom, friendship and a clear conscience are more important than his formulas.

He may be remembered with veneration when Hitler, the hater and destroyer, is forgotten. They say Spain's going to "wait for Britain's collapse" before entering the war alongside of Germany and Italy. It looks like a neat way to avoid war.

Young Germans are pledged "to endure injustice in silence." That is, when it is Nazi injustice.

These are promising times. The fellows running for office will promise you anything.

With dictatorship, as with vice, people "first endure, then pity, then embrace."

There were too many Ethiopians in the woodpile at Dakar.

# THE "KIBITZER"



## TWO EAGLE SCOUTS HONORED AT COURT HONOR LAST NIGHT

### NUMEROUS OTHER AWARDS GIVEN TO SCOUTS ADVANCING IN RANK AT CEREMONY

Two local Sea Scouts were honored last night at the district Court of Honor when they received the highest rank in Scouting, that of Eagle Scout. Other awards were presented to over 60 Scouts for work accomplished in the past two months, at the ceremony held in the First Baptist church.

Tom Bailey, chairman of the advancement committee, presided, and Rev. E. T. Miller, pastor of the host church, gave the invocation. Rev. C. Duke Payne, pastor of the First Christian church, made the presentation address, which climaxed the program when the Eagle award was given to Scouts Joe Daniel and Frenchie Huff.

"Leadership always carries a corresponding responsibility," said Rev. Mr. Payne, as he charged the Scouts to continue to set the example for others to follow. The mothers of both Scouts were then invited to come forward and pin the coveted badge of all Scouts on the shirts of their sons. Both Scouts are members of Sea Scout Ship Corsicana of the First Methodist church. Mitchell Boyd is the skipper.

Star Scout badges were presented to the following six Scouts by Mr. Bailey: Gordon, George of Troop 240 of the Third Avenue Presbyterian church; Billy Estes of Troop 243 of the First Methodist church; John Taylor of Troop 244 of the First Presbyterian church; Hugh Gillespie of Troop 256 of the First Christian church; Robert Lee Green of Troop 241 of the Rice Methodist church, and R. S. High, Jr., of Blooming Grove.

Drew Gilliam of Blooming Grove gave the charge to the Scouts receiving the First Class badges. This honor was earned by George John Henry of Troop 243, Emmett C. Lee of Troop 243, Barney Barlow, Stanley Palmer and Glenn Palmer of Troop 255, and Sam Houston Akers and Hugh Lewis Womack of Troop 253 of Dawson.

Sixteen Scouts received the Second Class award which was presented by Prof. O. F. Allen. New Second Class Scouts are Glenn Skinner, Allen Golden, James B. Cummins, Jack Bradley, Frank L. Mendor, Howard Minyard, Arnold Lee Sanders, Wesley Gordon, Bob Jones, Hugh Fullerton, Jr., Ray Manning, Clavo Allen, Earl Perry, Harold Pool and Moss Maxwell.

Merit Badges Awarded. Seventy-three Merit badges were given to 27 different Scouts by Mr. Bailey, as follows: Bill Balcom, 240, safety. John P. Robinson, 240, safety. Howard Wear, 241, physical development. Thomas Pierce, 241, public health. Daniel Levy, 243, music, public health, first aid. Bill Bates, 243, leathercraft, bugling, personal health. John Henry, 243, music. Bobby Waddell, 243, reading. Joe Daniel, 243, life saving, reading, swimming, animal industry, electricity. Gene Cummins, 243, reading, animal industry, electricity. Robert Lynn Pugh, 243, scholarship, pioneering, camping, cooking, civics. Edwin Daniels, 244, public health, swimming, wood carving, pathfinding, fireman's hat, athletics. John Taylor, 244, pathfinding, fireman's hat, athletics, civics. R. S. High Jr., 246, swimming.

## CORSICANA YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION MEETS AT TUPELO

The Corsicana Young People's Union met Tuesday night, Oct. 15, at the Methodist church in Tupelo with 120 present to hear an interesting and thoughtful program under the leadership of Charles Sheppard of Korona. Mr. Sheppard in his talk spoke of the year's work in the church, how it is carried on, how it works, and why we should dedicate ourselves to Christian living. The speaker also stressed the standards of being a Christian and a worker in the church.

Meditations were offered by Terry Sanders, Calene Reed and Christine Crowley, while the Scripture reading was given by Billy Hillard. Rev. R. E. Briggs of Rice offered the prayer.

Terry Sanders, union president, presided over the business session, at which time L. W. Brewer of Rice was elected first vice president to fill the vacancy recently created by the resignation of Earline Briggs. Two new members were appointed to the membership committee to take the place of recent resignations. The two new appointees are Betty Jo Pritchett of Rice and Louise Washburn of Central Methodist.

Attendance at this meeting showed a remarkable gain in several instances, with Eleven Avenue Methodist gaining first honors with 35 present. Rice came second with 21, while Chatfield was third with 14, and Central Methodist fourth with 13. The next monthly meeting will be at Powell on Nov. 19, with Tupelo furnishing the worship program.

A few minutes of recreation were enjoyed by all, following the business session. reading, bookbinding. W. D. Tolbott, 246, swimming. R. D. Garrison, 246, swimming. George Davis, 253, swimming, woodcarving, woodwork, reading, handicraft. Jackie Holland, 253, swimming, woodcarving, woodwork, reading, handicraft. Gene Allen Holt, 253, swimming, woodcarving, woodwork, reading, handicraft. Hugh Lewis Womack, 253, woodwork. Sam Houston Akers, woodcarving. Barney Barlow, 255, metal work, woodwork, swimming. Stanley Palmer, 255, metal work, woodwork, swimming. Vesta Friday, 255, pathfinding, farm home and its planning, leathercraft, woodwork. John Varley, 256, leathercraft, metal work, woodwork.

A meeting of all Scout leaders of the county was announced for Thursday evening, Oct. 24, at the First Baptist church by Field Scout Executive A. H. Newton. The two new Eagle Scouts were assisted by Eagle Scout J. R. Blumrosen in closing the Court with the Scoutmaster's benediction.

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## FORMER RESIDENT OF NAVARRO COUNTY DIES FORT WORTH

Mrs. A. W. Garretson, aged 63 years, formerly of Navarro county, died at her home in Fort Worth Tuesday, Oct. 1. Prior to moving to Fort Worth 13 years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Garretson operated a farm near Corsicana. Funeral services were held at Fort Worth Oct. 2.

Mrs. Garretson formerly resided in Blooming Grove, Corsicana and Embouse, and formerly was the wife of the late Thomas Jefferson Fitzgerald of Blooming Grove.

Surviving are her husband, Fort Worth; four daughters, Mrs. Minnie Lee Harris, Mrs. Cecil E. Heard and Miss Vera Fay Garretson, all of Fort Worth, and Mrs. C. W. Turner, Dawson; three sons, T. W. Fitzgerald and Carl E. and Earl A. Fitzgerald, all of Fort Worth; 11 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, three brothers, H. D. Drain, Embouse; R. M. Drain, Black Hills, and John F. Drain, Winthrop, Ark., and two sisters, Mrs. W. M. Gray, Corsicana 2, and Mrs. A. C. Reid, Embouse.

## Guard History Is Presented Library

KERENS, Oct. 15.—(Spl.)—Through the commanding officer, Capt. James W. Johnson, the Kerens National Guard has presented to the Kerens library a beautifully bound volume of information as to history, organization and personnel of the entire National Guard of Texas.

Of particular interest to people of this section is the history of our local Battery E, 172nd Field Artillery. Pictures of officers and enlisted men are splendidly clear. The library invites anyone interested to call and examine the book, as it will not be checked out of the library.

Senior Class Officers. At the regular meeting of the senior class of 1940 of the Wortham High school, held Tuesday, officers were elected as follows: Willard, vice president; Billy Byers, secretary; Billy Van Calane, treasurer; Preston Frost, parliamentary; Louise Craig, reporter; Miss Willoughby, sponsor.

Poultry! Poultry! Would sell any hens have next two weeks as market is liable to be lower when turkeys, fresh meats, start moving.

Pecans! Pecans! We will be buying from now on and want to handle your pecans this year.

Turkeys! Turkeys! Feed your turkeys good now if you want to sell Thanksgiving. We will contract some good fresh eggs if you have any for October and November. Will shell peas until October 15th, after this date will store sheller.

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## MAYS AND LOVETT APPEALS AGENTS FOR LOCAL DRAFT BOARD

### EXAMINING PHYSICIANS ARE DRS. O. C. BOWMER AND W. W. CARTER

AUSTIN, Oct. 16.—(AP)—Governor W. Lee O'Daniel today announced presidential approval of appeal agents and examining physicians to supplement the work of 341 local draft boards in the selective service process.

Physicians, two to each local draft board, in most instances, will examine registrants placed in class 1 as immediately available for service. The appeal agents, one to every draft board, are to look after the interest of both the government and registrant in any matter of difference. They are not to be confused with appeal boards which will hear registrants' appeals from draft board rulings. Appeal board personnel will be named later. The governor said every person called to serve as appeal agents and examining physicians responded enthusiastically "in a manner befitting the state's tradition."

Medical examiners announced from the governor's office following presidential approval was: Navarro county—Appeals Agents: (1) A. P. Mays, (2) N. W. Lovett. Medical examiners: (1) O. C. Bowmer, (2) W. W. Carter.

## Must Discontinue Sale Beer Nov. 14, In Wet Precincts

Sale of beer will be illegal in Navarro County on Nov. 14, Charles T. Banister, criminal district attorney, announced Tuesday morning following the canvassing and declaring of the results of the Sept. 27 beer election in Navarro County at a meeting of the commissioners court Monday afternoon.

Beer had been legal in Corsicana, Rice, Richland and other Central Navarro County areas for the past several years, but the sale had been illegal in the western and eastern precincts on local option laws.

The results as declared by the commissioner showed 3,034 voted for the prohibition of the sale while 2,324 voted against the prohibition, giving the drys a majority of 700.

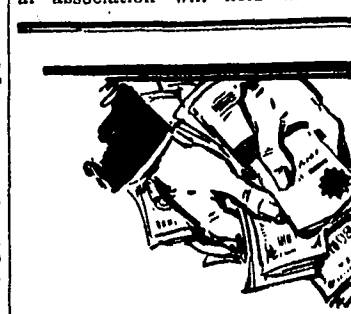
The ban is effective thirty days after the results are declared, it was pointed out.

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## Hamilton-Beeman Memorial Ass'n To Meet Friday, Oct. 18

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## DRAFT

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ginal estimate of 16,404,000 based on the 1940 census—an increase of approximately 2 per cent, which would place the total at about 16,854,000.

Shortly after Dykstra took office President Roosevelt issued an executive order authorizing him to appoint necessary members of local draft boards, appeals boards, government appeals agents, and local board physicians. All such work from now on will be under the new chiefs direction.

**Can Work Together**  
Dykstra called the effectiveness with which the registration was carried out, only a month after enactment of the conscription law an evidence that government and citizens can work together to do "a most effective job."

Asserting that he had no suggestion for changing any of the policies thus far established for the draft, Dykstra said his first plans were to get acquainted with the organization which has been set up by Lieutenant Colonel Lewis B. Hershey, who was acting director.

"It seems this organization under Colonel Hershey has done a magnificent piece of work," Dykstra declared.

In response to questions, Dykstra said the immediate administrative detail to be handled was to clear with state governors the appointment of appeal boards.

**Sure to Be Appeals**  
"There are sure to be appeals," he said, "as soon as the lottery is held and actual selection of men begins."

The approximately 5,000,000 civilian soldiers to be drawn from yesterday's registrants will, according to present plans, be spread over a five-year period, with the first call to go out in mid-November.

As the counting and sorting of yesterday's registration cards began, preliminary reports from registration places, showing each other and the army in which they may serve, they fell into long lines, patiently waiting their turn for the nation's new adventure in peace time conscription.

Disturbances were few, although one man was killed in a gun-fight at a Nebraska registration place, another dropped dead in Raleigh, N. C. One was arrested and several conscientious objectors caused flurries of excitement.

Compliance with the law appeared to be general, but subpoenas were served on eight theological students who refused to register in New York City and one man was jailed in El Paso, Texas, for refusing. Some objecting registrants were black arm bands.

As soon as registration ended

at 9 p. m. last night, registration cards began to move from the registration places to county clerks for re-distribution to 6,500 local draft boards which began functioning officially today. Most boards should have the cards at the men in their areas before nightfall.

The boards first will shuffle the cards and give them serial numbers which will be drawn in a national lottery in Washington to determine the order in which the men will be subject to call for service. Within a few days, the boards will begin publishing the serial numbers and, when they have finished, the lottery will be held, sometime between October 26 and November 2.

"The need for accuracy and care in these first steps cannot be over-emphasized," the local boards were told by Lieut. Col. Lewis B. Hershey, acting National director of selective service, who praised the "whole hearted response to the nation's call."

Hershey expected to be named deputy director, will turn over his temporary duties today to Dr. Clarence A. Dykstra, president of the University of Wisconsin, who arrives from Chicago to take office as director by appointment of the President. Meanwhile, clerks of local boards will register those unavoidably detained yesterday, start action against delinquents and receive voluntary army enlistment offers for one year from men between 18 and 38.

Regular army three-year enlistments continued throughout the draft registration, and the number of volunteers for one and three year tours of duty is expected to fill a large part of the first draft quota.

Senator Byrnes (D-SC) said General George C. Marshall, army chief of staff, had informed him that the war department would call up a smaller number of selective service men than it originally had expected to summon November 18 because of increased enlistments in the army and National Guard.

The number of selective service trainees who may be inducted into the army is limited to 900,000 a year under the draft act, which expires May 15, 1945. Some men who signed up yesterday may not even be classified or called for two or more years.

Too eager to wait, some youngsters volunteered immediately. Instances of patriotism, humor, enthusiasm, democracy and even belligerency, abounded.

A pretty woman in Louisville, Ky., insisted on registering. Led by 77-year-old former Senator William Gibbs McAdoo, World War secretary of the treasury, many grayheads attempted unsuccessfully to register, setting an example for youngsters.

Actor John Emery, husband of Tallulah Bankhead, went with his valet and a chauffeur to register. Henry Ford II stood elbow-to-elbow with a Filipino domestic. Screen Stars Henry Fonda and James Stewart were first at their registration place. Football teams and dance bands enrolled en masse. Men on hospital operating tables paused to sign their names.

Complying with the law's requirement that all resident aliens should register, 30 German seamen who took refuge from a British warship at Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and a member of the British purchasing mission joined the registrants.

"Funny, if I were drafted, what?" said the Britisher.

## POLITICS

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response from the masses outside of the ticker tape district."

Senator Taft (R-Ohio) told a Wilkes-Barre, Pa., audience that the Roosevelt administration, instead of building an adequate national defense, so far has succeeded only in "lining up against the United States all the powerful military nations of the world except England."

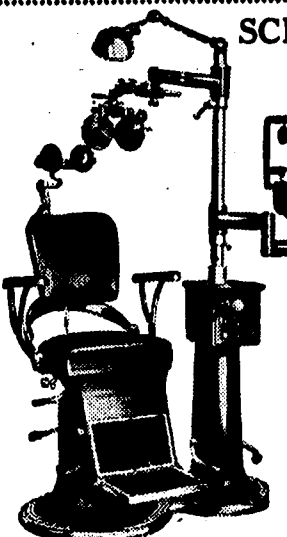
Roosevelt Man of Peace  
WHEELING, W. Va., Oct. 17.—(P)—Henry A. Wallace, in a campaign stop, said today President Roosevelt is "a man of peace."

The democratic vice presidential nominee, beginning a West Virginia tour, said aggressor nations would be glad to have an inexperienced man elected president of the United States. He wouldn't know the tricks that President Roosevelt does.

The former secretary of agriculture added that this country "must not let aggressor nations divide the Americas or get a foothold among any of our South American neighbors to operate against the United States."

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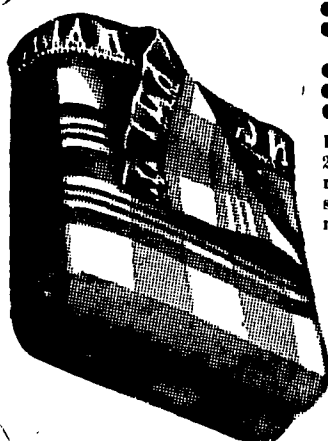
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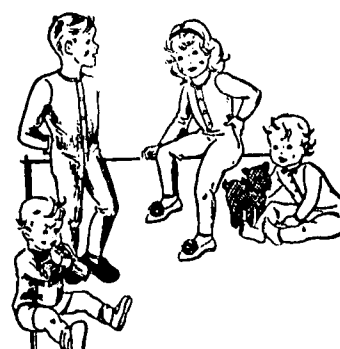
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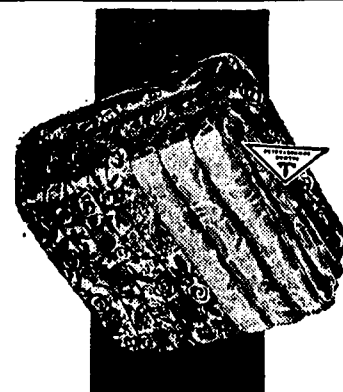
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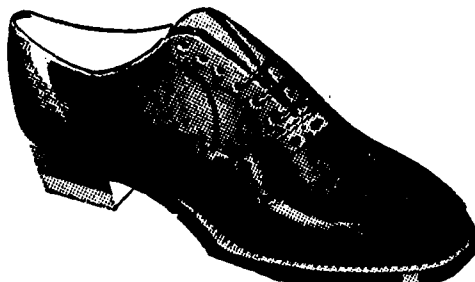
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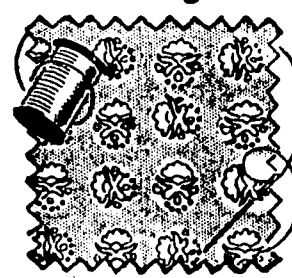
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## COUNTY VOTED DRY BY 700 MAJORITY; GUARD GETS MONEY

REPORT MADE ON EMHOUSE  
BRIDGE REPAIRS; ELECTION  
OFFICIALS NAMED

Canvassing and declaring the returns of the beer election held last month, appropriating \$300 to county units of the Texas National guard, discussion of financial problems, and other matters featured the Monday afternoon session of the commissioners court.

A report from W. M. Elliott, foreman on the Emhouse bridge repair job, showed a total of \$1,665.80 had been spent on the north approach through Oct. 12. Twenty-three of the twenty-nine spans had been repaired except for railing. The foreman was authorized to finish the north approach and start the repairs needed on the south approach and continue as long as the appropriated money is available. E. W. Hable has the contract for the repairs to the main steel spans crossing the creek.

Commissioner C. O. Slaughter made a motion to pay certain bills owed by the county. There was no second to the motion. One is owed the Richland Lumber Company and another is from the R. B. George Machinery Company on which suit is threatened. E. Y. Cunningham, county auditor, stated he would refuse to issue a check for certain of the old accounts unless mandamus by the courts to do so.

### Guard Officers Present.

Officers representing the three Navarro county National Guard units asked for \$100 for each unit. The money will be used during the time the guards are mobilized here and in Kerens for ten days from Nov. 25 until they go to the camp at Brownwood to provide funds for necessities not furnished by the government, and to supplement other expenditures such as uniforms, equipment, etc. Those appearing included Lieut. Col. John J. Garner, Captains Hal G. Johnson and L. C. Molloy and Lieutenants Paul Dresser and James E. Taylor. The units are Headquarters, Battery D, both of Corsicana, and Battery E, Kerens, 132nd Field Artillery Texas National Guard.

Lieut. Dresser said during 1939, salaries amounted to more than \$25,000 and in 1940, the payroll is more than \$21,000. Other counties make donations to military units, it was brought out. The motion for the appropriation and the preparation of an emergency fund for mobilization during the expenditure was made by Commissioner C. M. Fitzgerald and was seconded by Commissioner T. P. Hayes. All voted aye on the motion.

General election presiding judges appointed Monday afternoon on requests and where vacancies exist included L. W. Ashmore, Ward 2, Corsicana; Arthur Garrison, Dresden; James Davis, Dawson; W. G. Owen, Mildred; Marvin Henderson, Rural Shade; and E. R. Stroder, Emmitt.

Claims Allowed.

Claims were allowed except as noted on the claim docket.

The county judge and county auditor was authorized to borrow \$5,000 for the general fund.

The returns on the beer election held last month showed 3,034 voted for prohibition and 2,334 against the measure, making the county dry by 700 majority.

An order also was passed authorizing the payment of the election officials for the holding the election the sum of \$731.

It was stated that the court will take up the police radio question presented by Sheriff Cap Curington and NYA officials with the city of Corsicana.

Following is the financial report as prepared by the county auditor:

General Fund.	
Sept. 1, 1940 Balance .....	\$ 3,594.80
Sept. Receipts .....	1,338.45
Sept. Disbursements .....	4,933.05
Oct. 1st, 1940 Balance .....	684.92
Approved Budget .....	105,501.00
Disbursements .....	62,580.12
Bal. Available .....	42,910.88
Salary Fund.	
Sept. 1st, 1940 Balance .....	\$ 2,282.53
Sept. Receipts .....	3,518.99
Sept. Disbursements .....	11,801.57

Sept. Disbursements .....

Oct. 1st, 1940 Bal .....

Approved Budget .....

Disbursements .....

Bal. Available .....

Jury Fund.

Sept. 1, 1940, Balance .....

Sept. Receipts .....

Sept. Disbursements .....

Oct. 1st, 1940, Bal .....

Approved Budget .....

Disbursements .....

Bal. Available .....

Road and Bridge Fund.

Precinct No. 1.

Sept. 1, 1940, Bal .....

Sept. Receipts, Taxes .....

Sept. Disbursements .....

Commissioners Salary .....

Oct. 1, 1940, Bal .....

Approved Budget .....

Disbursements .....

Overdrawn .....

Precinct No. 2.

Sept. 1, 1940, Bal .....

Sept. Receipts Taxes .....

Disbursements .....

Commissioner's Salary .....

Oct. 1, 1940 Bal .....

Approved Budget .....

Disbursements .....

Bal. Available .....

Precinct No. 4.

Sept. 1, 1940, Balance .....

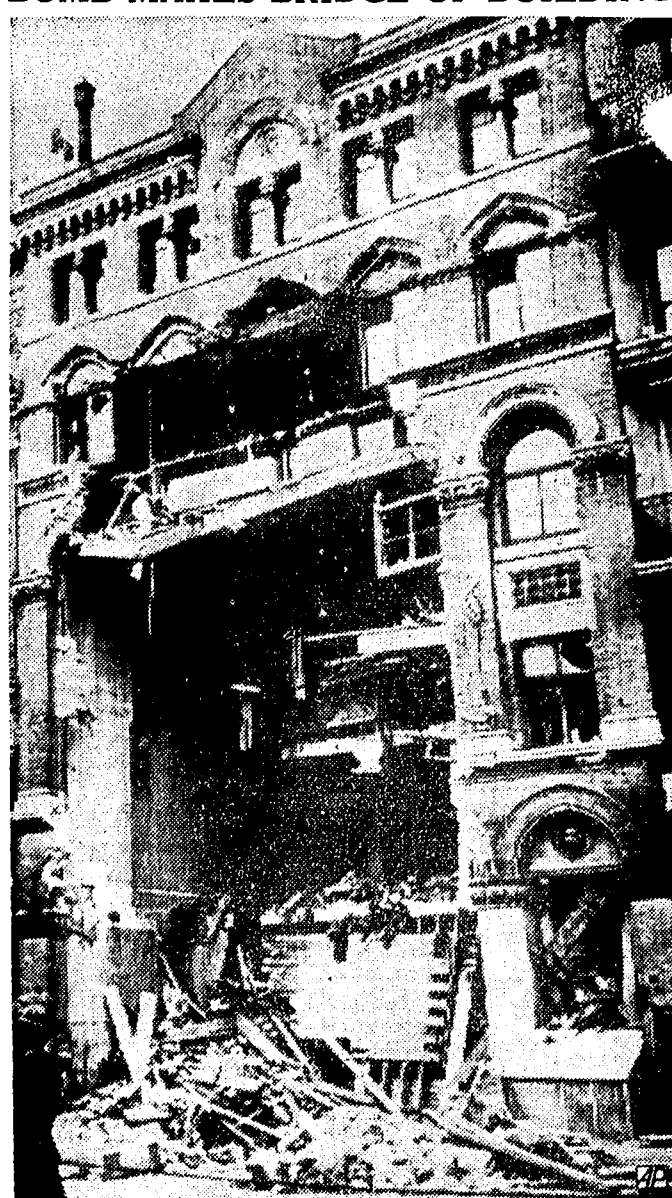
Sept. Receipts, Taxes .....

## LUPE TO WED "BIG BOY" FROM TEXAS



Within a month, Lupe Velez, fiery Mexican actress, and Guinn "Big Boy" Williams, curly-haired actor from Decatur, Texas, will wed, they have announced. Miss Velez, formerly wife of Swimmer Johnny Weissmuller, is shown with Williams in a Hollywood restaurant.

## BOMB MAKES BRIDGE OF BUILDING



A bomb dropped by a Nazi air raider, according to the British consular, had this strange effect on a five-story block of offices in London. The bomb wrecked the four lower floors, but left the upper story straddling the wreckage. (Associated Press photo by cable from London).

Sept. Receipts Misc. ....

Disbursements .....

Commissioner's Salary .....

Approved Budget .....

Disbursements .....

Bal. Available .....

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Bal. Available .....

## Courthouse News

**District Court.**

The October term grand jury resumed its work Thursday morning after having been in recess since Monday, Oct. 7.

Mary G. Daniel vs. George W. Tucker, et al, injunction, granted, restraining and enjoining defendants from selling, interfering with attempting to sell or possess, or entering two lots in Corsicana.

**District Clerk's Office.**

The following cases were filed: Erbie Davidson vs. Geneva Davidson, divorce.

Mrs. Fred Barth vs. J. C. Mason trespass to try title and damages.

Julius Richardson vs. Minnie Richardson, divorce.

The First State Bank of Blooming Grove, Texas vs. E. L. Franklin, et al, debt and foreclosure on personal property.

Maxine Lewis vs. Hubert Lewis, divorce.

Sil Williams vs. Eveline Williams, divorce.

Wilmer Sims vs. Maggie Jane Sims, divorce.

The First State Bank of Hubbard, Texas, vs. S. H. Akers, et ux, debt and foreclosure.

Jessie M. Taylor vs. Francis Taylor, divorce.

**County Court.**

Richard F. Bass and Roy Brewer, charged with unlawful use of a motor vehicle, entered pleas of guilty Monday and were fined \$10 and costs each by Judge Miller.

The case of Sam Dunn vs. M. Evans, suit on contract for personal services, was taken up in the county court Thursday morning.

**Sheriff's Office.**

Three youths, 11 and 12 years old, have been arrested in connection with the theft of two pairs of boots from the Kinney Shoe store recently. Two of the youngsters are alleged to have entered the Montgomery Ward Company store and secured a quantity of clothing, clock, rifle and other articles. Two also entered the law offices of Lovett, Lovett and Ralston and secured a brief case and a small clock. The two mentioned were arrested in Dallas by police and most of the merchandise recovered, officers said. Deputy George T. Brown and assistant Criminal District attorney Seton Holey and other officials were investigating the cases Tuesday morning.

**Marriage Licenses.**

David Ford and Mattie Lee Ward.

D. M. Murphy and eBulah Mae Meredith.

J. B. McKinley and Evelyn Allen Canady.

E. D. Reed and Vivian Burch.

**Oil and Gas Leases.**

Mrs. R. V. Bounds to Carl Frost 21 acres of the David White survey \$1.

Charlie (Pomp) Kirk, et ux, to A. J. Deskin, 6 2-5 acres of the S. A. Ross survey \$10.

Maggie L. Davis to C. L. Brown, 23 acres of the John Choate survey, \$50.

**Trustee's Deed.**

Berrymans, Hawthorn, trustees for the St. Louis Southwestern Railway company of Texas, to Mrs. John Friday, 3.267 acres of the W. R. Bowen survey, \$40.84.

**Royalty Contract.**

J. E. Faughn, et ux, to Ivan Rosenberg, 1-80th interest in 30 acres of the John Hunter survey, \$37.50.

**Sheriff's Office.**

A white woman was conveyed Thursday to the state institution in Terrell by Deputy Sheriff George T. Brown.

**Constable's Office.**

Four were arrested on drunkenness charges and two for vagrancy during the week-end by the constable's department.

**Justice Court.**

One was fined on a drunkenness charge by Judge A. E. Foster.

Six were fined on drunkenness charges and two on vagrancy complaints during the week-end by Judge Pat Geraughty.

One was fined on a disturbing the peace complaint Tuesday by Judge A. E. Foster.

**Warranty Deeds.**

The First National Bank of Corsicana, Texas, to Ed J. Grantham, 55 acres of the Robert Caroline survey \$250 and other considerations.

Mrs. J. L. Allbritton, et al, to W.

## OLD U.S. TANKS TO TRAIN CANADIANS INTERNATIONAL



These old tanks, obtained from the United States and shown at Camp Borden, Canada, will be used to train the Dominion's tank brigades. About 300 were purchased from the U. S.

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other RAF squadrons attacked a synthetic oil plant at Leuna and scored direct hits on ammunition factories in Saxony.

**Invasion Weather.**

Today's "invasion weather" was heavy mist over strait of Dover lifted this morning; visibility good, seas choppy.

The Germans reported their first daylight raiders penetrated to London at 9:30 a. m., but Londoners said that no bombs were heard in the first two alarms and that the Nazi warplanes, attacking in large numbers, were hurled back three times from the capital.

Startled by rain, anti-aircraft and RAF defense fighters in their assault on London, the Nazi raiders fanned out over a wide area in western and southeast England. Dozens of bombs crashed in the shopping district of a southeast town, wounding 10 persons and demolishing several buildings.

About 18 London districts reported damage in the night assaults, but the British said the havoc was comparatively light.

By contrast, Hitler's high command asserted that so-called "retaliatory" attacks were "in full force."

"Until dawn," the German communiqué said, "bombs of all caliber were dropped on military objectives on both sides of the Thames. The resulting fires lighted up for a great distance the clouds over London."

So fierce has been the destruction that London political quarters heard the government was considering the removal of all persons not engaged in essential occupations from capital districts most endangered by Nazi bombs.

Already, the government disclosed, 676 mothers and 1,159 children have been removed from the residential suburb of Croydon, scene of Britain's greatest air raids, in the past three weeks.

There were some deaths and injuries in a few London districts during the night where dwellings were demolished and "only a few industrial buildings" affected.

The Liverpool shipping and ship-building area along the Mersey river also was attacked.

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damage but in many cities residential sections were hit, particularly Kiel, where Germany has a big naval base.

**Germans Admit Navy Ship Sunk.**

BERLIN, Oct. 17.—(P)—DNE, official German news agency, reported today that "a small auxiliary ship" of the German navy had been attacked and sunk off the Norwegian coast by superior British forces.

The agency's account added that British destroyers had fired on members of the German ship's crew as they struggled in the water.

**New Defense Weapon.**

BERLIN, Oct. 17.—(P)—The German press claimed a new defensive air raid weapon today—a super searchlight which would blind British night raiders and make them fly directly into its rays, where they would be easy marks for anti-aircraft guns.

DNE, official German news agency, said the weapon was used successfully last night against a British bomber on the Dutch coast. The bomber, the agency said, was brought down in flames.

J. Tramel, interest in 15 acres of the John Duncan survey \$250.

Mrs. J. L. Allbritton, et al, to W. J. Tramel, 15 acres of the John Duncan survey, \$200.

The Union Central Life Insurance Company to C. W. Jordan, et ux, 200 acres of the James L. Holmes survey \$15,000.

C. S. Pugh, et al, to Ella Pugh, interest in a part of Block 266, Corsicana, \$1 and other considerations.

E. J. Hightower, et ux, to W. A. Hightower, Lots 3 and 4, Block 4, Robinson Addition, Frost, \$10.

**Ivy**

It will soon be time to spend more time in the home, fix that room up with running Ivy. We have just received new shipment of Ivy for those hot plants for the home. Now is the time to plant. Talk it over with us.

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## The Weather

East Texas: Generally fair to night and Friday; slightly warmer in extreme west portion Friday. Light local frost in northwest portion tonight. Light to moderate easterly winds on the coast.

West Texas: Continued fair tonight and Friday; slightly warmer in south portion; cooler to night in north portion.

Oklahoma: Fair tonight and Saturday; warmer south portion to night and Sunday; handle Friday.

Louisiana: Fair, continued cool tonight and Friday. Light to moderate northerly winds on the coast.

Arkansas: Fair, light local frost tonight; Friday fair, little temperature change.

High and low readings on the government thermometer for the 24 hour period ending at 7 o'clock Thursday morning were 80 and 44.

**Wortham Women**

Guests in Garland

WORTHAM, Oct. 16.—(Spl.)—Mrs. D. R. Wimberly, Mrs. Frank Red, Mrs. W. H. Dodge, Mrs. M. A. Pinkerton, Mrs. Guy Leverett, J. H. Love, Mrs. M. A. Riley, Mrs. John Munroe, Mrs. Sarah Cole and Mrs. Bill Garrett were in Garland Monday, guests of the Presbyterian auxiliary of that city, and Rev. and Mrs. Peyton Waddill, who lived in Wortham before moving to Garland. On the program were Mrs. Marshall Pinkerton, Mrs. Red, Mrs. D. R. Wimberly and Mrs. Sarah Cole and Mrs. John Munroe.

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<b>MATCHES, 2 boxes</b>		5c
<b>MACARONI, 2 packages</b>		5c
<b>SUGAR, 25 lbs. Cloth Bag</b>		\$1.19
<b>P. and G. SOAP, 5 bars</b>		19c
<b>MILK, 2 small cans</b>		5c
<b>PICKLES, quart jar</b>		10c
<b>Flour</b>	24 Lb. Sack	50c
	48 Lb. Sack	90c
<b>Meal</b>	20 Lb. Sack	35c
<b>Bologna</b>	Lb.	10c
<b>Chili</b>	Lb. Block	13c
<b>Oleo</b>	Lb. Pkg.	09c
<b>Pure Hog Lard</b>	2 Lbs.	15c
<b>Hog Jowls</b>	Lb.	07c

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<b>SYRUP</b>	..... Pure Ribbon Cane, Gallon	<b>45c</b>
<b>SALAD</b>	..... Dressing, Quart Jar	<b>15c</b>
<b>BOLOGNA</b>	..... Pound	<b>10c</b>
<b>COFFE</b>	..... Guaranteed To Satisfy You Pound 18c 2 for	<b>25c</b>

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## DRAFT BOARDS

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by appointed a member of board No. 2 has resigned, it has been stated, and Rector has been named in his place. This makes five of the six members of the two Navarre County boards residents of Corsicana.

**Areas Are Defined.**  
Board No. 1 will deal with the draftees of Justice Precincts 1, 7 and 8. Precinct 1 includes Corsicana, Elmhouse, White's Chapel, Oak Valley, Corbet, Retreat, Pickett, Navarro, Mildred, Zion's Rest, Phillip's Chapel, Petty's Chapel, Cryer Creek, Black Hills and other areas adjacent to Corsicana. Precinct 7 includes Eureka, Winkler and Birdston. Precinct 8 is the Barry area. The board No. 2 will have the remaining section of the county. It is estimated there will be little difference in the number of draftees to be handled by the two boards.

A. P. Mays of Corsicana is the appeals agent for board 1 and Dr. O. C. Bowmer is the medical examiner. Norris W. Lovett is the appeals agent for board No. 2 while Dr. W. W. Carter is medical examiner, according to appointments announced Wednesday from Austin.

Wortham Registered 232, WORTHAM, Oct. 17.—(Sp.)—Officials of the draft board announced Thursday morning that 232 were registered here Wednesday. Of this number about 75 or 80 were negroes.

## Prominent Persons Died During Night

By The Associated Press.  
Prominent persons who died Wednesday night included: Newark, N. J.—George S. Silzer, 70, democratic governor of New Jersey from 1923 to 1926.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa.—Fred Morgan Kirby, 70, one of the founders of the Woolworth store chain.

New York—W. Vaughan Spencer, 41, secretary-treasurer of the Association of American Agricultural Editors, and publisher of the Kenyon Farmers Home Journal.

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## TEXAS COWBOYS REGISTER FOR CONSCRIPTION



Tending their show cattle at the State Fair grounds, Dallas, Wednesday, these Lone Star cowhands, (left to right) Fred Wimberly of Bryan; Dick Jacobs of Mabank; Meade Bruce of Fort Worth; Remie Jackson of Dallas; and Bill Steger of Lubbock, put lariats aside to register for military duties with Registrar W. A. Cole.

## FAR EAST

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The Burma road, which Britain closed for three months last July 17 in an effort to improve relations with Japan, would be reopened to arms traffic China at midnight tonight Burma time (11:30 a. m. C.S.T.). Only a technicality—rescinding by Japanese authorities of a clause in the 1937 agreement at the instance of the British government—remained in the way of the opening.

It was said that Russia is being informed of the reopening of the road.  
Authoritative circles said ending of the Burma road agreement also paved the way for reopening of the British Crown colony of Hongkong to shipments to China if this action seemed desirable.

The Hongkong route was closed to the transport of arms to China last Jan. 1 for "security reasons" and movement of gasoline, trucks, railway equipment and other supplies was banned at the same time the Burma road was shut.

No assurance was given Japan concerning continuation of the Hongkong closing until the Burma road agreement was reached, it was said, and since that agreement has now lapsed it remains within the discretion of the governor of Hongkong to rescind its closure order.

(The Tokyo press reported from Hongkong that the Japanese consul general there had advised the British that Japan regards the closing of the Hongkong route as entirely separate from the Burma road agreement. He was said to have made it plain that the Japanese interpreted the Hongkong closure as "effective indefinitely. The press hinted at direct action if the route was reopened.)

**China Waiting.**  
Reports reaching London said the Chinese government had a fleet of several hundred trucks waiting near the Yunnan border for the order to move the moment the Burma road is reopened to traffic.

Chinese sources said, however, that it was unlikely the trucks would move in big concentrations because of the danger of bombing by Japanese warplanes operating from newly acquired bases in neighboring French Indo-China.

(Japanese military authorities in Indo-China announced yesterday that their bombers would make "the utmost effort" to keep the Burma road closed to the expected flow of war supplies from America and other sources.)

Dispatches from Chungking, provisional Chinese capital, said a number of trucks from the northwest provinces were being sent to the Burma road and a fleet of 1,000 trucks also was being maintained to transport war material from Soviet Russia.

**Favorable Progress.**  
BATAVIA, Netherlands, East Indies, Oct. 17.—(AP)—A favorable progress in economic negotiations between Japan and the Netherlands East Indies was reported by delegations of the two countries after three days of sessions near Soekabona.

General relations between the two countries were covered in preliminary talks and more detailed negotiations are to be carried on in Batavia.

Already discussed but scheduled to be gone over more intensively is the problem of oil. In the preliminary talks the

Japanese delegation asserted the Japanese-Italian-German military alliance would have no effect on Japan's "strong desire for maintenance and promotion of friendly relations between the Netherlands East Indies and Japan."

**New Attack on Chungking.**  
NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—(AP)—The German radio broadcast today a Chungking dispatch saying Japanese bombing planes attacked the central Chinese government capital this afternoon, the second attack within twenty-four hours.

## TEXAS DRAFT

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Richard Fairchild countered Black's argument with a contention the constitutional amendments did not apply to Carpenter because when he was called to military duty under the National Defense Act he lost his national guard status.

He maintained that guardsmen status until completion of one year's training as part of the nation's army.

Attorney General Gerald C. Main said in a recent opinion a state official who holds a guard commission must vacate his state position when ordered into active military training.

**Arguments Are Answered.**  
It was Fairchild's contention that such an officer could gain his position upon completion of military training.

Answering a question from associate Justice Richard C. Fritz, Fairchild said there was, however, no constitutional provision for the officer while the incumbent is training with the guard.

Asserting rational reasoning could give the amendments no interpretation except to permit state officers to hold their position while in the militia service, Dan Moody joined in Black's arguments.

Supporting this point, he said members of the national guard, including several state officials, receive federal pay the year round for drilling and summer encampments under the normal program.

There is no distinction between extended active training and that normally received, he declared.

**Negro Refused to Register.**  
WICHITA FALLS, Oct. 17.—(AP)—Police held a 31-year-old negro, today pending an investigation of both the case and procedure, follow if charges are filed under the selective service law which required registrations over the nation Wednesday.

The negro was arrested by Police Chief Sid A. Williams on information from D. L. Fritz, a member of one of the Wichita county draft boards. Fritz stated the negro announced he had not registered and would not because he was religiously opposed to war service, although he had been explained to him including the provision that religious objections, if drafted, would be placed in non-combatant service.

The negro, car washer in a garage, was discharged by his employer.

The selective service law provides a maximum penalty of five years imprisonment, fine up to \$10,000, or both for conviction.

**Many NYA Youths Registered.**  
AUSTIN, Oct. 17.—(AP)—Approximately 4,000 of the 10,000 young men on national youth administration projects in Texas registered for selective service, NYA headquarters reported today.

Administrator J. C. Kellam said youths from 17 to 20 years of age would be assigned to replace any enrollees selected for military training.

**One Complaint Received.**  
AUSTIN, Oct. 17.—(AP)—Only one complaint of the "R-Day" machinery in Texas reached Adjutant General J. Watt Page. "A mother complained that we said her boy had light brown hair when it was blond," Page said.

**BOARD OF THANKS.**  
We thank each one for their love and kindness shown us during the illness and passing of our loved one, Mrs. J. M. Galaway. We will ever be grateful to Dr. Hamill and nurses for their faithful and untiring effort. Also thanking Rev. Mr. Payne for the message of condolence. We appreciate the beautiful floral offering.

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## REGISTRATION

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tered must go to the draft boards to be enrolled. Stiff penalties are attached for refusing to register for the draft.

One person from Petty's Chapel requested a new identification card Thursday afternoon, reporting his card had inadvertently been left in his clothes and had been put in the family wash.

A total of 1769 persons registered within the four wards of Corsicana. This is approximately one third of the total amount for the county, a higher percent per capita than from the remainder of the county.

A coincidence reported was in Retreat. The number of this box is 48 and 48 persons registered.

Winkler had the smallest number to register, 19, while the largest was in Ward 3, Corsicana, with 514. Ward 3 is the largest precinct in the county.

**Draft Boards.**  
Draft Board No. 1 will have considerably more draftees to handle than Board No. 2. Board No. 1 has 2824 in the 22 voting precincts, three justice precincts. Board 2 has 26 boxes, and 2002 had been reported from the 22 boxes early Thursday afternoon.

Board No. 1 by boxes:  
Ward 1, Corsicana, 405; Ward 2, Corsicana, 367; Ward 3, Corsicana, 514; Ward 4, Corsicana, 483; 5. Amicus, 50; 6. Barry, 75; 7. Black Hills, 22; 8. Birdston, 24; 9. Cryer Creek, 35; 10. Corbet, 37; 11. Eureka, 89; 12. Zion's Rest, 148; 13. Drane, 50; 14. Elmhouse, 114; 15. Mildred, 73; 16. Oak Valley, 44; 17. Petty's Chapel, 50; 18. Navarro, 47; 19. Winkler, 19; 20. Phillip's Chapel, 65; 21. Phillip's Chapel, 42; 22. Retreat, 48. Total 2824.

Board No. 2 by boxes:  
7. Blooming Grove, 189; 8. Bazzett, 59; 9. Cade, 26; 10. Catfish, 80; 11. Dresden, 16; Dawson, 277; 12. Frost, 182; 13. Kerens, 312; 14. Montfort, 47; 15. Navarro Mills, 33; 16. Powell, 28; 17. Purley, 104; 18. Purdon, 41; 19. Richland, 110; 20. Curry, 41; 21. Rural Shade, 24; 22. Roane, 64; 23. Rice, 150; 24. Rushing, 51; 25. Spring Hill, 25; 26. Tupelo, 28; 27. Emmett, 52; 28. Rodney, 38; 29. Westbrook, 37; 30. Eldorado, 59; 31. Raleigh, 33. Total: 2002 with 4 missing.

**May Ask AAA Resignations.**  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—(AP)—Paul H. Appleby, acting secretary of agriculture, declared today that any member of an AAA farm committee who engaged in political activity would be requested to resign his position.

Appleby said this was his reply given to the senate campaign committee, to republican complaints that some of the farmer committees which operate agricultural adjustment administration programs had been active politically.

The agriculture department spokesman had been closeted for two hours with Chairman Gillette (D-Iowa) of the senate committee. Appleby told reporters the AAA had attempted to eliminate all politics in the farm administration by requesting resignation of farmer committeemen who held partisan political places or became candidates for office.

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## BRITISH

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Next to London, the raiders seemed to be making their most determined stabs at the West England coast. One coastal town reported German planes overhead for a second time shortly after lunch.

The fourth all-clear signal this afternoon was followed by reports that a raider had dive-bombed a section of London, demolishing houses and causing some casualties.

Within a half hour later a fifth daylight alarm was sounded, but the all-clear followed quickly. A number of persons were injured when a three-story building collapsed under bombing in an afternoon raid and fell on a brick and concrete shelter in the street. The shelter was cracked but did not give way.

Shoppers in the area flung themselves flat in shop doorways and on the sidewalks when they heard the bombs whistle down.

The raiders were turned back after a fierce battle above the clouds along the Thames estuary. It sounded as if scores of planes were in the fight and its fierceness was indicated by continuous machine-gun and cannon fire.

**Shopping District Bombed.**  
Dozens of bombs were unloaded on the shopping district of a southeast town by twelve Nazi warplanes after a dogfight high above the city. Several buildings were demolished and 10 persons were injured.

A cold October rain seriously hampered the operations of Nazi airmen during the night, serving to give the rubble-strewn metropolis hours of relative peace.

Only a few raiders succeeded in piercing the curtain of rain and shrapnel which protected the city, and the others, turning away, poured bombs on the surrounding countryside, which suffered considerably.

Two hospitals were hit in the southeast, with a nurse killed and several persons injured.

The government said "reports indicate, however, that the general extent of the damage is slight and that there have been only a small number of casualties."

**Liverpool Gets Stiff Dose.**  
The all clear ending the night alarm sounded comparatively early in London, but Liverpool got a stiff dose of bombs. One smashed a surface shelter, killing and wounding an undetermined number of persons. Bombs also were dropped on Merseyside, the shipbuilding and dock area of Liverpool. Other raiders ranged from London's streets as the result of complaints from business men that clogged streets are interfering with trade.

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ments made out of Czechoslovak assets in Britain.

The call of Prime Minister Churchill for appointment of an investigating committee was approved quickly by commons.

Churchill said that after the German occupation of Prague the question arose of payment of claims against Czech assets in Britain and Boothby became chairman of a committee pressing for payment.

He said evidence had been placed before the government indicating Boothby had a financial interest in one large claim.

**Campaign to Clear London Streets.**  
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The girl began sneezing again last night while wearing a hay-fever mask which for several days had helped her.

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